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JOINT COMMITTEES TO DECIDE ANNEXATION

Gas Motor Rail-Car on Kushequa Road Insures Efficiency!

Conopus Club Underwrites Plans Guaranteeing Prompt Transfer of Passengers and Mails; Modern Car, 36 Feet Long, Carries 36 Passengers; Forest Fires Obviated.

Through the efforts of the Conopus club of Smethport which contributed $1,200 in the form of a loan, and the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh railway, which put up $1,550 in a similar manner, the Kushequa railway has been equipped with a modern motor rail car, gasoline propelled, which will be put in service between Smethport and Backus next Monday.

The motor rail car, a handsome looking, steel-bodied car of the latest design, built by the J. G. Brill company of Philadelphia, is 36 feet long with a seating capacity of 36 passengers. It has a separate compartment for smokers and is provided with toilet rooms, electric lights, and other modern accessories. The running gear consists of a White Motor company high-powered chassis. It is propelled by a 125-horse power gasoline engine of practically noiseless operation. For winter service the car carries a Baker heater and a snow plow attachment. The cost of the car was $12,000.

Installation of a gasoline propelled car on the Kushequa comes in response to a demand on the part of the business interests of Smethport and other boroughs for regularity of service on that line. Heretofore manifold delays have occurred because of well-grounded fear of forest fires, for which the sputtering steam locomotive oft-times was responsible. With the introduction of the motor car, however, this danger will be obviated.

In consideration of the generosity of the public spirited citizens of Smethport and officials of the B. R. and P. railway, the management of the Kushequa has agreed to make radical revision of the time schedule to the end of meeting all trains on the B. R. & P. at Backus on time, thus insuring prompt transfer of passengers north and south and efficient handling of the mails. It is the intention of the Kushequa to maintain a strict schedule every day except Sunday.

"Theodore Roosevelt," the Kushequa's famous locomotive, however, will continue the hauling of freight on damp days, and in the event of damage to the motor car, it will care for passengers and mail service.

Consideraion of the plan to provide a motor car for the Kushequa was given by the Conopus club early last spring, but for the reason that the plan for rehabilitation of the glass bottle works was of primary importance, it went over until this fall when the committee again took it up with the result as outlined.

McKEAN GIVES PINCHOT BIGGEST RURAL MAJORITY OF ANY COUNTY, SAVE ONE

McKean county bears the distinction of having given Gifford Pinchot the largest majority of any rural county in the state, save one—Bradford county, where his majority run about 100 more than in McKean, but where the total was several hundred greater. In consideration of the number of votes polled, McKean is the banner Pinchot county.

The official count, completed Saturday, shows that Pinchot carried the county over McSparren by a plurality of 2,506, running ahead of any other candidate on the Republican ticket by over 400 votes.

In the contest for assembly Moore's official majority over Gustafson is 209, and Swoope for congress has a plurality over Snyder of 1,589.

The official vote in detail follows:

For United States Senator (short term) Reed, Republican, 4,629; Van Essen, Socialist, 239; Robinson, Prohibition, 1,117; Davis, Single Tax, 132. Reed's plurality over Robinson 3,512.

For U. S. Senator (long term)—Reed, Republican, 4,242; Shull, Democrat, 1,801; Robinson, Prohibition, 918; Sehl, Socialist, 146; Burke, Progressive 701. Reed's plurality over Shull 3,441.

For U. S. Senator—Pepper, Republican 4,472; Kerr, Democrat 1,875; Van Essen, Socialist 155; Lewis, Prohibition 760; Thompson, Progressive 461. Pepper's plurality over Kerr, 2,101.

For Governor—Pinchot, Republican, 5,705; McSparran, Democrat 2,551; Wilson, Socialist 116; Repp, Prohibition 411. Pinchot's plurality over McSparran 2,506.

For Lieutenant Governor—Davis Republican, 4,630; Pattison, Democrat 2,264. Davis' plurality over Pattison, 2,366.

For Secretary Internal Affairs—Woodward, Republican, 4,252; Thompson, Democrat 2,006. Woodward's plurality over Thompson 2,246.

For Judge Superior Court—Gawthrope, Republican, 4,325; Niles, Democrat, 2,117. Gawthrop plurality over Niles, 2,208.

For Congress—Swoope, Republican 3,701; Swoope, Socialist, 116; Snyder, Democrat, 2,228; Kane, Prohibition, 1,957. Swoope's plurality over Snyder 1,589.

For Assembly—Gustafson, Republican, 3,802; Gustafson, Socialist, 216; Moore's Democrat, 3,227; Moore, Prohibition, 931. Moore's majority over Gustafson, 209.

Proposed Amendment (City Home Rule)—For, 2,637; Against 1,467. Carried 1,170.

Bond Issue (to erect Soldiers' Memorial)—For 2,304; Against 2,904. Defeated 600.

SKUNKS SEEK TOWN FOR WINTER QUARTERS

Any person shy on pets may procure one easily by adopting one or several of the numerous skunks which have taken up quarters in various parts of Smethport this fall. These beautiful, gentle and frolicsom little creatures may be seen almost anywere and any hour after nightfall. For some reason or other they frequent those places where chicken coops are in evidence. From the fact that no one has ventured to molest them in any way, it is quite easy to believe that their presence is appreciated.

Fable: Once there was a man who didn't think his job harder than any other man's job.

CHICKENPOX - DIPHTHERIA EPIDEMICS HIT SMETHPORT; HOMES ARE QUARANTINED

With two cases of diphtheria and an epidemic of a mild form of chicken pox, health authorities of Smethport have found it necessary to quarantine several homes the past week and exercise the strictest surveillance over sanitary conditions and the general welfare to keep the diseases from spreading.

Quite a number of school children are afflicted with chicken pox and every child in other than a normal condition has been sent home from school with a recommendation for medical examination. Physicians, however, have the epidemic well in hand.

James Hockingberry, ten-year-old son of Mr. Hal Hockingberry, is confined to his home by diphtheria, while a second case is that of Mrs. Dominic Cogliostro, a resident of the West end. Neither case, however, is regarded as serious.

LOCAL PEOPLE FLOCK TO OLEAN, WEDNESDAY, TO HEAR HARRY LAUDER.

Smethport was almost depopulated Wednesday afternoon and evening when Messrs. and Mesdames R. E. Burdick, E. E. Drake, W. B. Hopper, J. C. Buckus, James A. Miller, Edward Workley, Claude Heath, H. C. Wells, Harry German, William Halpenny, Albert Hyatt, Daniel Cooper, Fred Gallup and M. L. Finney, members of the Premier club, befook themselves to Olean in motor cars. Wednesday afternoon, where the gentlemen members of the party attended the Masonic banquet in the evening while the ladies visited the theatre and enjoyed the celebrated Sir Harry Lauder's singing and comedy. The party spent a most enjoyable evening and returned home early Thursday morning.

TEACHERS PLAN TO HEAR DR. FINEGAN'S ADDRESS

A number of Smethport teachers are planning to attend the lecture to be given by Dr. Thomas E. Finegan, state superintendent of public instruction, at Bradford, Tuesday, November 21. Doctor Finegan is making a tour of the state, delivering addresses before school faculties and parents. In his talk he gives figures to show how Pennsylvania stands in the school program finally. Comparison between present education conditions and those in effect before he assumed charge is made by the speaker in refutation of the many attacks upon the educational system he has inaugurated and fostered. The address at the High school will be at 8:15 p. m.

ACCEPTS APPOINTMENT.

Ray Quinn, superintendent of the Keystone Wood Products company, has agreed to accept the office of school director of Norwich township, made vacant by the resignation of E. F. Smith, and Norwich township citizens are rejoicing over the fact, both because of Mr. Quinn's fitness for the position and his well known interest in everything educational.

POLICE HUNT MISSING OLEAN BUSINESS MAN WANTED FOR FORGERY.

William M. Abrams, 65 years of age and for 40 years one of Olean's recognized business men, is menaced by a charge of grand larceny as the result of information filed by Mrs. L. B. Homer of Olean, who alleges that Abrams obtained $1,000 from her on a forged note. It also is alleged that other defaults incurred by the same alleged process on the part of Abrams will run in excess of $50,000 and may reach $70,000 or more. He is said to have sold notes indiscriminately to elderly and helpless women, the greater number of which are alleged to have been forged or to have forged endorsements.

Abrams has been absent from his home since November 3 and the police are scouring the country for him. He left his office suddenly and without notice to anyone. For many years he has been the recognized head of a general insurance agency known as Abrams & Sons, located in the First National Bank building. It is understood that the First National bank and various insurance companies also are eager for his return.

COX BROTHERS RECOVER FROM TERRIBLE BURNS.

Samuel and Zera Cox, who were burned severely in the explosion at the acetone plant, October 2, and who, for the past several weeks have been patients at the Bradford hospital, have so far recovered as to come up town and mingle with their friends. Both men were hovering between life and death for several days, and news of their complete recovery will be received with pleasure by all persons familiar with the tragic event in which they figured.

ATTENDED FUNERAL.

Mrs. C. Natello was in St. Marys and Smethport Friday where she attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Sheehan. Mrs. Sheehan's body was taken from St. Marys to Smethport on a special Shawmut train. Mrs. Sheehan had visited Kane a number of times and was quite well known here.—Kane Republican.

Linking of 2 Towns Hangs on Decision Confab This Week

East Smethport Civic Association Will Parley With Conopus Club; Data Reveals 50-50 Break in Matter of Benefits; What Figures Reveal; Outlook is Promising.

The committee of the Conopus club having in charge the proposed annexation plans with East Smethport, will meet with a committee of East Smethort citizens either the latter part of this week or the first of next week for the purpose of giving annexation every consideration and to decide upon the feasibility of the project. It is believed that the sense of the joint meeting will decide whether East Smthport is for or against the proposal to enter the borough upon equal terms. Many residents of East Smethport, however, are enthusiastic over the proposition and the Conopus club members feel encouraged to believe that the project will be considered favorably.

The committee of the Conopus club having in charge the preparation of data on the annexation question have ascertained that the assessed valuation of East Smethport is approximately $65,820, as against a valuation of $560,000 for Smethport borough, while the valuation of Keating township, including East Smethport, is $904,634. The data also reveals that the debt of Keating township, including East Smethport, amounts to $27,955, while that of Smethport borough aggregates $47,100. East Smethport's share of Keating township's debt is approximately $2,000. Thus it has been ascertained that with the tax assessment of East Smethport for 1922 placed at 61 mills and that of Smethport borough at 63 mills, East Smethport's share of the borough's debt, in the event of annexation, would approximate $1,800, a difference of $2,800 at first glance, but lessened materially when it is considered that if East Smethport joins with Smethport her share of indebtedness to Keating township will be assumed by the reinforced or augmented borough.

While it is said that certain East Smethport citizens are fearful that increased property valuation will attend annexation, this contention vanishes when the fact is considered that under the present methods of assessment location alone determines value, and that enhancement seldom if ever attends annexation.

The real urge of the annexation project is co-ordination between two places which really are one, a condition which, when properly weighed, makes for economy.—and ultimately, a genuinely natural and stable enhancement. With respect to annexation, the majority of those familiar with the situation incline to the opinion that it will cost Smethport far more than East Smethport. This for the reason that every advantage enjoyed by the borough, such as better school facilities, fire and police protection, improved streets and alleys, etc., must be extended to the part or parts annexed. Under the present arrangement East Smethport is badly handicapped in these particulars, and this especially is true with reference to High school advantages, citizens of that bailiwick with children of High school age being compelled to pay tuition to the borough schools for that privilege.

While the annexation program has many ardent advocates in both places, it also has many opponents. It is believed, however, that if put to a vote, it would carry by a goodly majority. Conservative opinion, which was reflected at the noon day meet of the Conopus club at Munn's restaurant, Monday, estimated the project as a fifty-fifty break between the borough and East Smethport; but just how the Civic Improvment association and Conopus club committees will hit it off at their meeting the latter part of this week or early next week, remains to be seen.

BOROUGH TAKES DAY OFF IN HONOR OF SOLDIERS WHO VANQUISHED KAISER

Smethport took on a holiday appearance last Saturday afternoon during the Armistice day exercises. Practically every store and business place was closed until 4 o'clock and hundreds flocked to East Smethport where the new Keating township veterans' memorial, near the Pennsylvania railroad station, was dedicated. R. P. Habgood of Bradford, was the orator of the day.

The initial feature of the celebration, however, was the parade composed of the members of Bucktail Post, American legion, members of the G. A. R. and Spanish-American war veterans. The parade formed in the court house square and proceeded to East Smethport in the following order:

Marshall A. M. Anderson and aides.

Smethport band.

Bucktail Post, American Legion.

Veterans of Civil and Spanish-American wars.

Speakers in autos.

The exercises in East Smethport begun at 2 o'clock. The following program was rendered:

Music by the band.

Invocation, Rev. C. A. Renicks.

Dedicatory prayer, Rev. W. B. VanDyke.

Music, Band.

Oration, Hon. R. P. Habgood, Bradford.

Music, Male quartet.

In the evening the members of Bucktail Post, the Ladies Auxiliary and friends to a goodly number attended the annual banquet in the M. E. church, prepared by the Priscilla club. After the banquet adjournment was taken to the Lyceum where the day's festivities were concluded by a grand military ball.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, November 19. Morning worship, 10:30; subject: "The Authority of the Scriptures." Church school, 11:45; Junior Epworth league, 3; evening worship, 7:30; Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30.

The Olean district conference will meet at Silver Springs, N. Y., on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. The Rev. Arthur Gregson is to address the conference on "Self-Culture."

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LARABEE

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Nichols, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Walters and daughter, Miss June Walters, of Bolivar, N. Y., motored to Canaseraga, N. Y., Sunday, and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Vird Dennis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reed of Eldred Thursday evening.

Rev. Father Dailey of Sartwell, spent a portion of last week in Benzette, Pa., attending the forty hours devotion services.

Mrs. Eros H. Carpenter and daughter, Miss. Nina Lee Carpenter, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foot of Olean, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Coleman and daughter, Miss Laurabelle, motored to Bradford, Monday.

Mrs. Belle Haynes of Keating Summit was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Johnson, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Nichols and son, Leon, of Andover, and Mr and Mrs. George Clarke of Olean, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Nichols.

Mr. George McKelvey and daughter, Miss Lucile McKelvey, of Rock Run, motored to West Clarksville, Sunday.

Miss Mary McAuliffe was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Oliver of Olean.

Mrs. Forrest Clement of Eldred was a guest of Mrs. Vird Dennis, Friday.

J. T. Haynes, accompanied by J. T. Johnson and son, Theodore, motored to Port Allegany, Saturday.

J. Hill of Emporium was a business visitor in town, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Comes of Eldred were visiting at the home of Mrs. June Henninger, Wednesday.

Miss Beth Carpenter of Wesons Mills was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Carpenter.

Mrs. Milton Childs and daughter Miss Lillian Childs, were Eldred visitors, Thursday.

P. H. McGill of Eldred was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Vird Dennis Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Webb Huff of Buffalo, motored here Sunday and were guests of Mr and Mrs. Wm. Peake.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Plummer and family of Wrights, Pa., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Pendleton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Haynes entertained Mrs. Arnol and son, David Arnol, and Mr. and Mrs. Holian of Rew City, Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Brooder was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wright, of Eldred, Tuesday.

Mrs. Raymond Rice is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wood, of Sergeant, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Raszmann, and children and F. B. Granties of Crosby were Sunday guests of Mrs. Henry Raszmann and family.

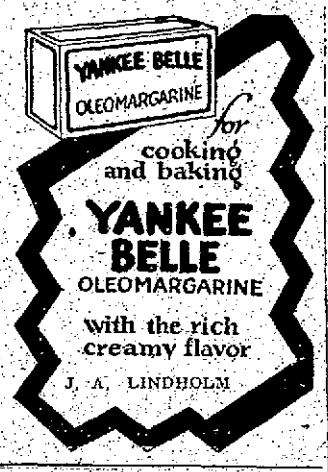
Robert Oliver of Farmers Valley was in town, Monday.

Miss Beth Carpenter and Miss Olive Campbell were Sunday guests of Mrs. Raymond Raszmann and Miss Lois Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Haynes and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parker of Kent Hollow.

Mrs. Catherine Freeman and daughter Miss Helen Freeman, of Indian Creek, were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Henry Raszmann, Sunday.

Mrs. M. M. Carpenter was called to South Wales, N. Y., Saturday, by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Hietman.



Mrs. Josephine Whitemore of Slack Hollow was a guest of relatives in Coryville the latter part of the week.

Daniel Raszmann motored to Indian Creek, Sunday.

Mrs. June Henninger is nursing in Port Allegany on a scarlet fever case.

Jacob Raszmann was in Crosby, Sunday.

An oil well was drilled in on Eugene Hitchcock's farm in Slack Hollow last week, at a depth of 860 feet, and was shot Thursday. It is reported to be good for 2 barrels of oil a day. The company is drilling another well 300 feet from this, on Mrs. Rogers Wahl's farm.

Mr. Reynolds has let the contract to the Wood Brothers for drilling three oil wells, right away on his leases in Slack Hollow.

The Larabee school visited Slack Hollow last Thursday to see the oil well shot.

COLEGROVE

James McCurdy and Clair Fessenmeyer who have been out on the line returned home Friday.

Robert McAllister and Don Benson were Coryville visitors Sunday.

C. M. Benson and family were Smethport visitors Saturday night.

Joseph Harvey Kane, a nine and a half pound baby boy came to F. F. Kane's last Tuesday to make his home.

Mrs. B. W. Heineman spent a few days of last week in Philadelphia.

Miss Rena Anderson, who is going to school at Grove City, was home for a few days of last week.

Robert McAllister, Harry and Waldo Abbey were Smethport visitors Saturday.

Rev. Mason and family of Crosby spent Sunday with G. C. Mason and family.

VICINITY NEWS

Don Nelson of Fredonia, N. Y., is spending a few days the guest of Lois Nourse.

Nate Miller of Angelica is visiting relatives here.

Ruth Howe of Bradford spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pratt and daughter, Bessie, of Prentissvale were Saturday guests of Mrs. Rose Pratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan of Oklahoma are visiting Mrs. Bryan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Oviatt.

Ora McAlee of Crosby spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Hugh Abbey is confined to her home by illness.

Adna Burdick of Detroit, is spending a few weeks at her home.

Almond Thomas is slowly improving, which is pleasing news to his many friends.

Lois Burdick is spending a few days in Wellsville, N. Y.

Herbert Venus is moving from the A. L. Gallup farm to East Smethport.

Bessie Curtis and Rose Pratt were calling on Sarah Armstrong Monday.

The Burdick school house is being repainted which adds greatly to its appearance.

E. D. Comes is repainting his residence and building a large porch.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cooney spent Sunday with relatives in Sartwell.

Meetings start next week at the U. B. church. Everyone is cordially invited.

A. O. Hyde of Bradford spent Sunday at his home.

Mrs. Clarence Powell, who has been ill for the past four months, is much improved at this writing.

Miss Howe of Instanter is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Howe.

Mrs. E. G. Peterson and daughter Violet, of Eldred, were Thursday guests at F. H. Nourse's.

Edna Terry was calling on Marie Malon, Monday evening.

Word has been received that Forrest Nourse's condition is somewhat improved at this writing.

J. H. Wells is moving into the house recently vacated by Herbert Venus.

Gladys Nourse and Lawrence Washburn were calling at F. H. Nourse's, Sunday evening.

Helen Griffin of Lewis Run spent Sunday at her home.

The Civic improvement club has finished paying for the soldiers' memorial and it was dedicated, November 11.

Mary and Bertha Kleisath spent Sunday at their home.

Florence Schoonmaker served luncheon to a few friends Saturday evening.

TURTLE POINT

Henry Murphy and Milo Evans of Annin Creek passed through Turtle Point Monday, enroute for Port Allegany.

Mrs. W. J. Crowley of Rock Run was in this place one day this week.

Mr. Norm Smith is hauling coal cinders through town.

Mrs. Earnest Lindsay was a guest of Angie Burrows last Monday.

The G. L. F. Co-operative unloaded a car load of feed last Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Eugene McCarey and Mr. King were buying cattle last Tuesday.

Mr. Hughes Bradley was home over Sunday.

Mr. Frank Winship an old resident of Annin Creek, died last week at his home in Steuben county, N. Y.

A sign board is needed very much at Larabee telling people the way to Smethport. Cars are here every day from Olean way inquiring the way to Smethport. Strange the business men of Smethport don't take a little more interest in the sign boards along the highways leading to their city.

We ought to have good roads as the road machine is out.

Mr. M. A. Teater was down from Port Allegany last Saturday.

CROSBY

Miss Bernice Wilcox spent Sunday at her home in Crosby.

George Bassett of Pittsburgh is visiting friends in Crosby.

Mrs. Bertha Marsh spent the week-end in Farmers Valley, guests of her sister, Mrs. Flora Oviatt.

Mrs. Clara Wilcox and Mrs. Cecil Metzgar were shopping in Bradford Saturday.

Mrs. Krueger was a Smethport visitor Monday.

Mrs. Goldie Greeley was in Smethport Wednesday evening.

The Pocohontas held a Masquerade ball Thursday evening which was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kilcoin called on Mrs. A. Westfall Saurday.

Messrs Verne Marsh and Lynn Chandler attned to Farmers Valley Sunday.

Mr. Milford Marsh was in Olean Thursday.

Mrs. Emma Larson called on Mrs. Cecil Metzgar Saturday evening.

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BILL SAM'S DICTIONARY

By J. L. MARTIN

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ASSIGNMENT: A giving up of the financial ghost. Bill Sam's Dictionary, page 80.

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LODGE DIRECTORY.
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McKean Lodge, No. 388, meets on the second Wednesday of each month, at 7:30 p. m., at Masonic Hall, Main street.
HARRY RUBIN, W. M.
W. F. SPECHT, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.
Smethport Lodge, No. 389, meets Friday evenings at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall. Will work initiatory degree first meeting of each month; 1st degree on second; 2nd degree on third, and third degree on fourth meeting night.
Fred J. Masser, N. G.
J. V. Gallup, V. G.
R. C. GLEASON, Sec.

I. O. O. F.
Smethport Encampment, No. 379 meets the first and third Wednesdays of each month in I. O. O. F. Hall.
CHARLES LEMMLER, C. P.
J. A. SWANSON, S.

Ideal Rebekah Lodge, No. 63.
Meets the 1st and 3rd Monday evenings of each month, at 8 o'clock, in the I. O. O. F. Hall.
JENNIE CHASE, N. G.
CATHERINE LEMMLER, Sec'y.
EDNA ANDERSON Fin. Sec'y.

P. H. C.
Smethport Branch, No. 25, meets on every Tuesday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall.
C. M. COLEGROVE, President
ANNA O. STARK, Secretary.

P. of H.
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings in each month in I. O. O. F. Hall.
FRANK REEVES, W. M.
P. S. CROSSMAN, Secretary.
H. J. RICE, Lecturer.

Phoenix Chapter, No. 15,
O. E. S.
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month at 2 p. m., in I. O. O. F. Hall.
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BRADFORD--SMETHPORT BUS LINE

New Schedule in Effect Oct. 10, 1922

WEEK DAYS

Leave Bradford—7:45 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 3:00 p. m., 5:10 p. m. and 11 p. m.

Leave Smethport—9:15 a. m., 1:00 p. m., 4:45 p. m. and 6:40 p. m.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Bradford—8:30 a. m., 5:10 p. m. and 10:30 p. m.

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NEWS OF THE SECTION

and Exchange Clippings

Eldred—Eldred schools and all business houses suspended during the funeral of the late John B. Shea, last Wednesday morning, who died very suddenly at his home the Sunday preceding. Mr. Shea had been a member of the school board for years, was postmaster at one time and always interested himself in Eldred's advancement. He was 67 years of age.

Eldred—Daniel Shea, 75, brother of the late J. B. Shea of Eldred, died at the home of his brother, J. S. Shea, in Olean, last Friday morning. He was a member of the I. O. O. F., and enjoyed a wide acquaintance throughout this section.

Clark's Corners—Two squirrel hunters of this place who couldn't stay out of the woods over Sunday, were each assessed $25 and costs for their Sunday sport.

Bradford—A train load of salt containing 1,500,000 pounds, billed from the Worcester Salt Plant, Silver Springs, N. Y., to Pittsburgh, via B. R. & P., passed through here Wednesday morning and attracted a large crowd of the curious. The salt was all refined and ready for table use.

Bradford—Investigation following a serious fire which partially consumed a dwelling at 73 Sherman street, at midnight, Sunday, resulted in the discovery of kerosene soaked rags hanging to the walls of various parts of the structure. Criminal charges may result.

Bradford—News of the death of Ralph C. Cooper, former resident, was received from Anaconda, Montana, his home for several years, early Sunday morning. Mr. Cooper was a farmer and well known in this section, being the son of Mrs. C. M. Skinner of No. 1 Tuna avenue.

St. Marys—John Gorman, aged night watchman, admitted to Burgess Thompson that he started the story that "newly-born twins were found in Chestnut street park early Saturday morning," which caused considerable excitement until police learned there was no truth in it. As a result Gorman may face a charge of disorderly conduct.

Port Allegany—Funeral services for the late John Holmes, 94, who died Tuesday evening, November 7, were conducted at the late home in Two Mile, Thursday afternoon. Two sons, three daughters, 15 grandchildren and 11 great-grand children survive.

Meadville—At her home here Miss Alice M. Bentley is receiving congratulations of thousnds on her election to the state assembly on the Republican and Prohibition tickets. Miss Bentley rejoices over her success. Her mother, 91 years of age, voted for her. In 48 out of 65 districts Mrs. Bentley scored a majority of 1,096 against C. W. Williams, her opponent, and carried his home district by a majority of 260.

WEEKLY COURT RECORD

Deeds

October 31. Sigmund Fragner, Exrs. of to E. T. Nordstrom, Port Allegany, $476.

Etta Carr and husband to Amel Nordstrom, Port Allegany, $1.

Harry P. Kurtz and wife to E. T. Nordstrom, Port Allegany, $300.

Nov. 1. Carlo Ventura and wife to W. P. Cline, Bradford, $1.

J. C. Curtis Exc. of to A. W. Peterson, Hamilton twp. $1.

Mike Rohan and wife to Mike Clowa, Hamilton twp. $2000.

Alta Ness to John Adolph Johnson, Smethport, $1500.

Nov. 2. John O. Clark and wife to Ray L. Schaffner, Lewis Run, $1.

Nov. 3. Mary Ann Corwin to Wallace Corwin, Bradford twp. $1.

Anna A. Reilly and husband to Mary Ann Corwin, Bradford, $1.

John Peterson and wife to H. C. Bemis, Port Allegany, $1.

W. J. Kelley and wife to John R. Lampus and wife, Kane, $1.

Geneva Thomas to Isaac Walker, Foster twp., $800.

Margaret B. Walker to James Blaine Walker, Foster twp., $1.

Kane Land & Improvement Co. to R. A. Hill, Wetmore, et $1.

R. R. Hill and wife to M. Schriever, Wetmore, et $1.

Nov. 1. Alma Irene Schoonmaker and husband to Mary A. Hungerford, Smethport, $550.

Nellie Hogan to John Rizzo and wife, Kane, $1.

Abe Yesgur to Ida Yesgur, Bradford, $1.

Case Land Co., et al to George A. Simpson, Foster twp., $21,000.

Mary M. Clark and husband to Linna A. Boyd, Bradford, $20.

Linna A. Hutchinson Boyd to Lemuel C. Knight, Bradford, $1.

Nov. 6 L. F. Wilcox and wife to C. A. Anderson, Norwich twp. $1.

George A. Baddeli to Carl Elmar Swanson and wife Lafayette twp., $1.

Tony Bagile and wife to Domenic Ricciardi, Bradford, $700.

Camile Basile to Tony Bastle, Bradford, $50.

Nusbaum Chemical Co., to E. Barrett, Bradford township, $287.

P. A. Murphy et al., to Mary A. Place, Bradford township, $1.

Nov. 7. Kane Estate to Edward C. McMahn, Mt. Jewett, $78.85.

Effie E. Evans and husband to F. C. Stone, Bradford township, $1.

Elisha K. Kane and wife to Edward Norman and wife, Smethport, $450.

Mortgage.

Nov. 1. Fred C. Kinney and wife to Federal Land Bank, Baltimore, $700

Owen W. Merrick and wife to Federal Land Bank, Baltimore, $2,200.

Nov. 2. Annin Dairy Products Co. to Mrs. M. E. G. Ventres, Annin township, $3,000.

Wesley Caots et al to Cuba National Bank, Otto township, $4,000.

Frank Rossett and wife to M. E. G. Ventres, Port Allegany, $700.

Nov. 3. Bert B. Shirley et al, to Federal Land Bank, Baltimore, Eldred, $4,700.

Nov. 4. Isabelle Earley McCullough and husband to Kane Trust & Savings Co., Kane, $3000.

John Rizzo and wife to Kane Trust & Savings Co., $550.

George A. Simpson to Case Land Co., Foster Twp., $11000.

Satisfaction Mortgages.

Nov. 1. Emma L. Weiman Admr. of to Clinton C. Cooper and wife, Liberty twp., $2100.

Nov. 2. Bradford Bldg. Loan & Sav. Assoc. to J. H. Smith, Bradford, $1000.

Nov. 3. Samuel Lenhart and wife to Carlo Venturo, Bradford, $1150.

David D. Bartleson to Charles Hayes, Wetmore twp., $250.

Nov. 7. Nick Swanson to Jay Easton, and wife, Kane, $1070.

Agreement.

Nov. 7. Ellie E. Evans and husband to M. C. Steffy, Bradford, twp., $300.

Judgments.

No. 64. Dec. Term, 1922, C. H. Fay vs. Harry Greer, $525.

No. 66 Clermont Sewer Pipe Company, a corp. vs. Morris Brothers Co., a corp. $64820.

No. 67. Commercial National Bank, Bradford, Pa., vs. Murty & Higgins, Jas. Murty, R. L. Higgins, $1791.24.

No. 68. S. Phillips vs. Mary Paulson, $500.

No. 71. Paton & Wheeler vs. Joe Onofria, $1365.

New Suits.

No. 63. Dec. Term, 1922 Mae I. Eastman vs. Frank L. Eastman, Divorce.

No. 65. Elvira Viets vs. W. J. Kelley et al Debts et al, Foreign Attach.

No. 69. Aletha F. Scanlan vs. William Scanlan, Divorce.

No. 70. Marguerite Evelyn Whitford vs. Walter Whitford, Divorce.

Executions.

No. 16. Dec. Term, 1922. G. O. Hamilton vs. Margaret Cunningham, $150.

No. 17. Clermont Sewer Pipe Co., a corp. vs. Morris Brothers Co., a corp. $63020.

No. 18. L. Blanche Holt vs. William Fitzgibbon Estate et al, $4000.

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Famous Forest of Zurich.

Out of every 100 square miles in Switzerland 17 are covered with forests—the result of a policy now centuries old.

The municipal forest of Zurich, famous throughout the world, has been producing timber continuously during the last 600 years. Crop after crop has been grown and marketed and new crops started.

It is a common saying in Europe that "Switzerland holds her mountains up and her taxes down" with her forests. These forests, largely municipal, protect farms and towns by preventing landslides. In addition they pay dividends which materially reduce tax levies. Moreover, it is her forests, as well as her mountains, which make the men of Switzerland strong and self-reliant. It is her forests, too, which help to attract and retain tourists.

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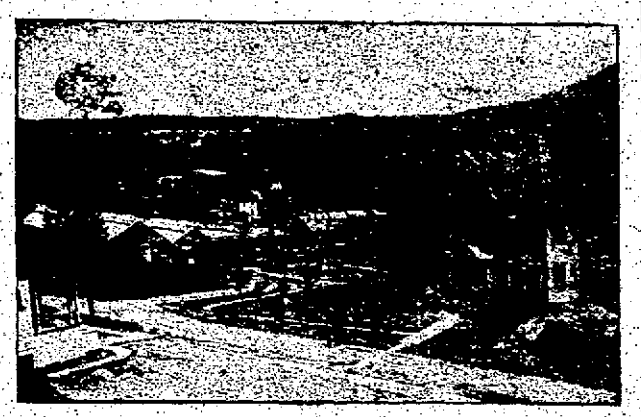

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BUSINESS FACTS.

Some firms have maintained that advertising is an expense added to cost of distributing goods.

Let us see how that works. There seems no reason to doubt that any concern that distributes reliable merchandise can secure and hold a greatly increased trade by advertising. Watch the crowd flock into a city store after a sale is announced and your own eyes will prove it.

Over and over again, small and obscure firms have gone ahead in a short time, as the result of judicious publicity. When a store tells about its goods and solicits patronage, people are impelled by a desire to see the merchandise thus offered and they also think that such a place is a live one that will give good service.

Many stores double their sales in a short time through using regular publicity. But the expense of such a store does not double from the increase of trade.

Its overhead costs for interest, taxes, rent, salaries, etc., would increase but very little. And its operating expenses would not come anywhere near doubling. Its total costs might not be more than 25 per cent above the figures on the old basis.

Consequently the charge to be made against each article for overhead and running expenses would be much less than previously. The store could sell stuff for less money than before.

Advertising enables the enterprising merchant to do business on a bigger scale and take advantage of special opportunities. If the nonadvertiser is offered a large lot of goods at a special price, he might feel that the deal was too big for him to swing with his regular trade.

But the advertiser would know that by announcing a special sale, he could get the public coming to his place, and could work off those goods in a short time. He could afford to sell them at a low price, and the deal would pay through the big volume of sales in a brief period.

Thus the advertising store can handle large deals at a profit both to itself and the public, and newspaper publicity is one of the biggest forces tending to reduce the cost of distributing merchandise.

WATCH YOUR LETTERS.

The postoffice department is entirely reasonable and right in requesting the public to refrain from mailing cards or letters in unusually small envelopes. The size of the envelope made little difference in the days when stamps were canceled by hand. Now, however, the envelopes are fed through cancelling machines which handle them with lightning rapidity. The machines are constructed to handle any ordinary size of envelope, but the envelope of Christmas card size won't feed through. The makers of envelopes should keep in mind the requirements of speed in handling mail. The public should refuse to mail small envelopes. In addition to that the postal laws should be amended to require additional postage on letters or cards either too large or too small to be handled in the ordinary way. People who insist upon having a special service from the government should be willing to pay for it.

Prior to the recent congressional election the Democrats told us that the country is behind Harding but very much dissatisfied with congress. Now they will change their tune and tell how much the country is dissatisfied with the president. And the country will smile and form its own opinions without regard to what the Democratic politicans say.

The best way to induce and to hold home trade is to advertise what you have for sale in the columns of the home paper. Smethport has the money to buy. Mr. Merchant, what's the latest in fall and winter necessities and holiday novelties?

Justice surely was slow in bringing the perpetrators of the Herrin massacre to the bar, but compared with her movements in the Hall-Mills case, she was going with lightning-like rapidity.

Now that it's all over and the winners have been proclaimed, let's all buckle down to business and whet our appetites for a turkey dinner along about the last Thursday in November.

Only 38 days till Christmas. Do your shopping and your advertising early.

"How did the women vote?" is a question that is still being asked. So far as we have been able to learn, a majority of them voted in new hats and suits.

Much of the world's visible supply of futility busies itself wondering which has the larger income, Ford or John D.

Still, the man who wishes he had voted is in somewhat better case than the man who wishes he had voted the other way.

Thrift is the art of burning 30 cent's worth of gasoline to find a place where $10 shoes can be bought for $9.98.

It must be a great comfort to a starving and freezing European to know that he has America's moral support.

In this country, almost anybody can become a porter; but in India they have the caste and carry system.

And it may be that the doughboys preferred Owsley because the sound of him is reminiscent of a w. o. l.

A happy wife is one who has an intimate friend with whom she can discuss her husband's faults.

BILL SAM'S DICTIONARY

By J. L. MARTIN

Ike Ketchum, the fellow that a mob of our best citizens waited on a few nights ago for whipping his wife and stealing his neighbors' chickens, took a big dose of carbolic acid through mistake the following morning. Although all the doctors of Tatterhill and Hog Creek Ford did their best, Ike didn't die until last night.

CARBOLIC ACID: A deadly drug used in killing disease germs, committing suicide and getting rid of other infections. Bill Sam's Dictionary, page 212.

Sheriff's Sales

BY VIRTUE of sundry writs of Fieri Facias, Levari Facias and Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, I will expose at public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Smethport, McKean County, Pennsylvania, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11th, 1922,

at 1 o'clock P. M.

The defendants' interests in all that certain piece, parcel or lot of land situate in the Borough of Kane, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, part of Warrant 3166, being part of lot No. 100 Bayard Street, bounded and described as follows: beginning at a point in the southeast corner of Bayard and Yarnell Streets; thence along the south side of Bayard Street (30 feet from the center line thereof) north seventy degrees east sixty feet (N. 70 degrees, E. 60 ft) to a post; thence parallel to Yarnell Street south twenty degrees east one hundred feet (S. 20 degrees E. 100 ft) to a post; thence parallel to Bayard Street south seventy degrees west sixty feet (S. 70 degrees, W. 60 ft.) to the east line of Yarnell Street; thence along the east line of said street north twenty degrees west one hundred feet N. 20 degrees W. 100 ft.) to the place of beginning. Containing six thousand square feet of land more or less, and being part of the premises conveyed by Elizabeth D. Kane to party of the first part hereto, by deed dated June 24th, A. D. 1892, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of McKean County in Deed Book, Vol. 67 at page 252 etc., and this conveyance is expressly made, and accepted under and subject to certain reservations, exceptions and conditions mentioned or contained in said deed.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of James C. McKinney, Sadie Matthews, Amelia Ray, Emery McKinney, Mollie McKinney, and J. C. Kifer at the suit of Alex Shelton.

MULLIN & WOODS,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

The defendants' interests in and to the following described Real estate, to-wit:

FIRST:—that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Bradford, County of McKean, and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at the northwest corner of lot No. 36 of Whitney and Wheeler's east side building lots at the intersection of the easterly line of High Street and the southerly line of Main Street; thence southerly along the easterly line of High Street twenty-five (25) feet; thence easterly at right angles one hundred feet to easterly line of lots fronting High Street; thence southerly and parallel to High Street thirty-four (34) feet to the southeast corner of lot No. 35; thence easterly along the continuation of the southerly line of lot No. 35 to the westerly line of Cottage [illegible] thence northerly along the said westerly line of Cottage [illegible] point, eight (8) feet southerly from the southeast corner of lot No. 37; thence westerly and parallel to the southerly line of lot No. 37 and on a course of north fifty-one and one-half degrees west to the intersection of the northerly line of lot No. 36; thence in a direct line to a point on Whitney Avenue (now East Main Street) eight (8) feet northerly from the southwest corner of lot No. 37; thence southerly along the east line of East Main Street eight (8) feet to the intersection of the easterly line of East Main Street and the south line of Main Street; thence west along the south line of Main Street thirty-seven and one half (37½) feet to the place of beginning, being the same premises conveyed by Arvilla Connolly and husband to Alice Edmonds, by deed dated April 10th, 1906, recorded in McKean County Records in Deed Book 132, page 397, etc. April 14, 1905, and now vested in grantor under and by virtue of the last will and testament of Alice Edmonds, deceased, duly probated, and filed in the Register's office of McKean county, Pa.

SECOND: All the petroleum, natural gas in and under; upon that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the sixth ward of the city of Bradford, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, described as follows:— BEGINNING at an iron pipe on the bank of the Tunungwant Creek in the line between warrants Nos. 3188 and 3198, seven hundred and fifty-nine (7591) feet easterly along said line from the easterly line of Kendall Avenue; thence, continuing on said line North 88 degrees, 52 minutes East, one hundred and fourteen (114) feet to an iron pipe, also on the bank of the said creek; thence crossing the present channel of said creek and following the north bank of the old channel thereof, as follows: south 15 degrees, 59 minutes east two hundred and fifty-two (252) feet, to an iron pipe; thence south 30 degrees 91 minutes west one hundred five and eight tenths (105.8) feet to an iron pipe; thence north 70 degrees 35 minutes west ninety-nine and 3-10 (99.3) feet to an iron pipe; thence north 44 degrees, 14 minutes east seventy-two (72) feet to an iron pipe; thence north 19 degrees 27 minutes west two hundred sixty-two and 4-10 (262.4) feet, recrossing the present channel of said creek to an iron pipe, containing three-fourths of an acre, more or less, the place of beginning, and being a part of lot No. 126 in Warrant No. 3498. The intention is to describe a piece of land bounded by the south line of Warrant No. 3489 and north bank of the Tunungwant Creek as it was before it changed its channel at the time of the Johnstown flood in 1889, when it cut a new channel through the piece of land herein described.

TOGETHER with the right of free ingress, egress and egress upon said piece of land for the purpose of removing said petroleum and natural gas. Being the property conveyed by Ellen Clark Hanna and husband and Mary E. Clark to William C. Walker by deed dated August 1st, 1904, and recorded on August 20th, 1904, in the office of the recorder of deeds of McKean County in Deed Book Vol. 129, page 139 etc.

ALSO all the petroleum, natural gas in, under and upon all that certain leasehold estate, for oil and gas purposes, situate, lying and being in the sixth ward of the city of Bradford, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Bounded on the north by south line of Warrant No 3489; on the south by the Tunungwant Creek; on the west by line parrallel to and one hundred fifty (150) feet east of Kendall Avenue, being a triangular parcel between said Warrant No. 3489 and the creek, and one hundred fifty (150) feet from east line of Kendall Avenue; being the same leasehold estate created by Edward K. Clark to J. Q. Field by indenture dated February 1st, 1899, for a term of ten years, and so long thereafter as oil and gas can be produced in paying quantities; the said J. Q. Field having, by written assignment dated November 17th, 1902, conveyed the said leasehold estate to William C. Walker and A. V. Field, the said assignment having been recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of McKean county on the 24th day of November, 1903, the said A. V. Field having assigned his one-half interest in and to the said leasehold estate and to the oil wells and the other property situate thereon, to the said W. C. Walker by assignment dated June 28th, 1904, and recorded on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1904, in the office of the recorder of deeds of McKean county, Pa. TOGETHER with one oil well and engine and tubing, casing, rods, fixtures, and other paraphernalia and property used in the production of oil on the said leasehold estate.

ALSO all the oil right in and to all those certain two oil wells situate upon that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Bradford (formerly Kendall borough) county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, distinguished by being a part of the Melvin Farm in said city of Bradford, and bounded and described as follows:—On the north and east by the Tunungwant Creek; on the south by the Rochester & Pittsburg Railroad; on the west by the public highway known as Erie Railroad Street; being the same property conveyed by Alvira Mayhee and husband to William Chambers by deed dated June 25th, 1885, and recorded among the records of McKean County in Deed Book Vol. 29, page 83, etc., the title to which property is now in the grantor herein.

TOGETHER with a like undivided interest to and in the two wells and two engines thereon and hereunto belonging.

ALSO all the right, for the term of 99 years from January 20th, 1900, to produce oil and gas on the following described piece or parcel of land to-wit; beginning at an elm tree, the south line of Seward Farm, about 450 feet easterly from the center of the Erie Railroad tract; thence easterly along the south line of Seward Farm to Tuna Creek; thence following the various windings of said Tuna Creek in a southerly direction to the warrant line; thence westerly along said warrant line to the southeast corner of the Wharton lot; thence in a northerly direction about 405 feet to a cherry tree; said cherry tree being about 430 feet from the center of the Erie Railroad tract, and about 100 feet northwesterly from the Hanna and Hane wells; thence northerly about 680 feet to the place of beginning; said piece or parcel of land containing about 17 acres of land, a part of said piece or parcel of land being now occupied by said Hanna and Hane, and this transfer being subject to their lease; being the same premises conveyed by Junius R. Clark et al to J. Q. Field by deed dated January 26th, 1900, recorded in Deed Book No. 111, page 386 etc., said deed containing the following reservation: "The said parties of the first part hereby reserve control of the surface of said land except such as shall be necessary for the production and removal of said oil and gas during the said term of 99 years, doing as little injury as possible to said surface." Said above described premises being on what is known as the Colegrove lot in the city of Bradford, county of McKean, and state of Pennsylvania: and being also subject to certain other reservations in said above recited deed contained, reference thereto being had will more fully and at large appear. EXCEPTING AND RESERVING out of the above the right for the term of 99 years from January 26th, 1900 to produce oil and gas from the following described piece or parcel of land part thereof. Beginning at an elm tree in the soum line of Seaward lot about four hundred fifty (450) feet from the Erie Railroad and running thence east six hundred sixty (660) feet to bank of Tuna Creek; thence southerly up the bank of said creek to the center of Hoffman Street extended; thence north 80 degrees west by center line of Hoffman Street five hundred fifty-four (554) feet to a line with an elm and cherry trees; thence northerly six hundred forty-seven (647) feet to the first mentioned elm tree, the place of beginning, containing eleven (11) acres, more or less, with the four oil wells, one boiler, engines, all drive pipe, all casing, tubing, rods, tanks and all property appertaining and belonging to said wells. Also hereby conveying a like undivided interest to and in the four oil wells, all engines, boilers, rigs, tanks, tubing, casing, fittings, fixtures, machinery, etc., situate on and belonging to that part of the oil right last above mentioned. SUBJECT to the right of Charles A. Martin to use sufficient gas for fuel for one stove from one of the wells on the land first above described, as provided in deed dated December 5th, 1902, made by Charles A. Martin and wife to J. Q. Field, recorded in the recorder's office in and for McKean County in Deed Book Vol. 124, at page 102 etc.

Being the same property conveyed by J. Q. Field and wife to A. V. Field by deed dated November 17th 1903, and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of McKean county in Deed Book Vol. 126 page 544 etc. the said A. V. Field and Edith Field, his wife, having conveyed an undivided one-half interest in and to the said property to W. C. Walker by deed dated November 17th, 1903, and recorded November 24th, 1903, in the office of the recorder of deeds of McKean county, Pa., in Deed Book Vol. 126, at page 546, etc., and the said A. V. Field having by deed dated June 24th, 1904, and recorded June 30th, 1904, in the office of the recorder of deeds of McKean county, Pa., in Deed Book 129, page 192 etc., assigned the remaining undivided one-half interest in and to the property above described to the said W. C. Walker.

The said W. C. Walker having died in the city of Bradford, in the county of McKean, state of Pennsylvania, on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1915, testate, leaving a last will and testament, in and by virtue of which said last will and testament the said John R. Walker was named as sole executor and authorized and empowered to sell and convey the property above described. Being the same property conveyed by John R. Walker, executor of the last will and testament of W. C. Walker, deceased, to P. Meldrum by deed dated February 18, 1918, recorded in the recorder's office of McKean county in Deed Book 176, page 329, etc. and conveyed by P. Meldrum and wife to Robert S. Edmonds by deed dated March 11, 1919, recorded in McKean county records in Deed Book 178, page 207, etc.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Robert S. Edmonds & the suit of McKean County Trust Company, a corporation under the laws of Pennsylvania.

W. E. BURDICK,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

ALL of defendants' interest in that certain leasehold estate erected by Indenture of lease made by Franchot Bros. to William Fitzgibbon et al dated August 21, 1908, recorded September 12, 1908 in Deed Book Vol. 147, page 173 etc., wherein and whereby the said lessors leased to the said William Fitzgibbon et al, for oil purposes for the term of one (1) year or as long thereafter as oil is produced in paying quantities all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Foster, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a post in the northeast corner of lot 53; thence south 50.47 rods to a post; thence west 61.3 rods to a post; thence north 50.27 rods to a post; thence east 61.5 rods to the place of beginning, being north part of lot 53, Warrant 4008, containing nineteen and twenty-nine one hundredths (19.29) acres, more or less.

ALSO BEGINNING at a post in the northeast corner of lot No. 65 and southeast corner of lot 63; thence north 86 degrees west 76.2 rods to a post; thence south 4 degrees west 83.9 rods to a post in the north line of lot 72 thence south 86 degrees east 76.2 rods to a post in the southeast corner of lot No. 65 and southwest corner of lot No. 52; thence north 3 degrees 45 minutes east 84 rods to the place of beginning, containing forty (40) acres being lot No. 65 in Warrant No. 4008.

ALSO BEGINNING at a post in the northeast corner of lot 52; thence south 119.8 rods to a post; thence west 60.7 rods to a post; thence north 120.1 rods to a post; thence east 60.7 rods to the place of beginning, being lot No. 52 in Warrant 4008 containing forty-five and fifty one hundredths (45.50) acres.

ALSO BEGINNING at a post in the northeast corner of lot No. 61; thence south 122.8 rods to a post; thence west 61.3 rods to a post; thence north 122.5 rods to a post; thence east 60.3 rods to a post and place of beginning, being lot 61, warrant 4008, containing forty-six and fifty-eight one hundredths (46.58) acres, more or less.

ALSO BEGINNING at a post and stone, in the east line of lot 69 at 13.75 rods south of the northeast corner of said lot; thence west 115.3 rods to a post; thence south 13.55 rods to a post; thence east 115.3 rods to a post; thence north 13.85 rods to the place of beginning containing nine and eighty-four one hundredths (9.81) acres and being the south part of lot 69 in Warrant 3496.

All of said lots or parts thereof being as per survey of Geo. T. Keith, Surveyor.

TOGETHER WITH all of defendants interest to and in the thirty-six (36) oil wells, one compressor, one power, all tubing, casing, rods, pipe, tanks, tools, machinery, etc. on said leasehold and to the same and the said wells belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of William Fitzgibbon, Estate, Eleanor Fitzgibbon, Margaret Fitzgibbon and Mrs. William Fitzgibbon, at the suit of L. Blanche Holt.

W. E. Burdick,
Plaintiff's Attorney

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The defendant's interests in all the undivided one-half (½) of all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Bradford, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz:

COMMENCING at the point of intersection of the west side of Congress Street and the south side of Main Street (as the said south side of Main Street is now defined by the compromise between the authorities of the Borough (now City) of Bradford and property owners, thence west along said defined line twenty-eight (28) feet to the east line of lot of W. F. DeGolier, thence south along the east line of DeGolier's lot eighty (80) feet, thence easterly and parallel with the south line of Main Street twenty-eight (28) feet to the west line of Congress Street; thence northerly along said west line of Congress Street eighty (80) feet to the place of beginning. Being same premises conveyed to party of the first part herein by Nancy Elizabeth Smiley, widow and devisee of N. B. Smiley, deceased, by deed dated March 3, 1919, recorded in the Recorder's office in and for the County of McKean, Pennsylvania in Deed Book Vol. 178, page 345 etc.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Harry Levy at the suit of McKean County Trust Company, a corporation, etc.

W. E. BURDICK,
Plaintiff's Attorney

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The defendant's interests in all that certain piece, parcel or tract of land lying, being and situate in the Township of Eldred, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:—

BEGINNING at a post on the west bank of the Allegheny River opposite Bullis Mills and about four hundred feet East of a large chestnut tree; thence in a westerly direction to an Elm tree on the line between what is known as the F. N. Burnham and D. H. Burnham farms 100 feet south of Pittsburgh, Shawmut, and Northern Right of Way, thence north to a post six hundred feet north of center of highway; tence west 433 feet to a post. Thence in a northerly direction to a post on the State line; thence west along said State line to lands of Patrick Dunn; thence south and East and south to Alleghany River; thence along said river to place of beginning containing 270 acres.

Being a part of the land of which Eunice A. Burnham died seised, she having died April 3, 1915, a widow, intestate and leaving as her only heirs at law said George Burnham and Reuben Burnham, who conveyed his interests therein to said George Burnham by deed dated August 21, 1915, and recorded in the office for the recording of deeds in said county in Deed Book 171, page 264. This property is subject to all conveyances and reservations of oil and gas of record affecting said lands.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of George Burnham at the suit of H. N. Coon and also Coco Cola Bottling Co., a corporation.

T. F. Mullin,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
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WEDNESDAY, NOV. 22nd
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Pathe News.

PERSONALS

Mr. Rush Hou spent the week-end in Little Valley.

Miss Ruth Jones spent the week-end in Bradford.

Miss Lenore Lemmler spent the week-end in Olean.

Mrs. Sidney Burdick spent the week-end in Olean.

Miss Harriett Jones was a Bradford visitor Saturday.

Mrs. C. L. Loran of Bradford, is spending the day in town.

S. G. Potter was a Harrisburg visitor last week.

Clarence Daly, who has a position with the automatic electric company of Pittsburgh, is the guest of his father, W. C. Daly and family.

Mrs. Clair Colegrove is a patient at the Bradford hospital.

Mrs. Lydia Holder entertained a number of ladies at bridge Thursday evening.

B. T. Garlick of Buffalo spent the week end with his family in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin of Hornell were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Potter over the week-end.

The Emmanon club gave a shower Monday evening at Miss Ruth McCarthy's for Miss Marie Kane.

Miss Catherine Hamilton, a student at State College, spent the week end with her parents Dr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton.

Miss Julia Fay was operated upon Monday evening by Dr. Hogan, at the Bradford hospital, for appendicitis. At present she is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Sandford Fry and Mrs. Leo Herzog gave a dancing party Monday evening in Quirk's hall to about fifty young people, in honor of their daughters Helen Fry and Virginia Herzog.

Mrs. Bernard Bahl and Mrs. Alford Bush spent the week-end in Salamanca, as guests of Mrs. Chas Schultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fay spent the week end in Olean, as guests of Mrs. Fay's parents.

St. Christopher's guild was very pleasantly entertained Friday at the H. H. Redfield farm.

Mrs. Orville Halpenny entertained the 500 club at her home on Main St. Thursday evening.

Miss Pauline Allman of Olean spent last week as guest of Mrs. Purtle and family.

Mrs. Fred Hungiville and Misses Belva Ford and Mayte Connolly entertained the St. Elizabeth's Guild Thursday evening.

The venerable A. W. Hulett, aged 84 years, long time resident of Crosby, is quite ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. P. R. Baker, of Wrights Corners, as the result of a paralytic stroke.

Mr. and Mrs. Elof Erisson of West Main street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine girl at their home Monday morning.

Miss Mary Hartson and Miss Helen Gleason will entertain the members of the Wah-Wah-Taysee club with a dinner party at the latters' home this evening at 6:30.

Mrs. John Bender, who has been seriously ill, is well on the road toward recovery.

Henry J. Rice went over to see and hear Sir Harry Lauder at Olean, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gallup have returned from a hunting trip in the Adirondacks.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Crossman, left for Punxsutawney, Saturday, on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. E. G. Ventries of the Port Allegany greenhouses paid a week's visit to Philadelphia, where she procured new chiffons, new baskets and new floral ideas. She also attended the great world's convention, with representatives from 27 countries.

The Rev. B. I. Gemerer of New York city will speak in St. Luke's church, both morning and evening, Sunday, November 19, in the interest of the forward program of the church.

Fidelity Grange meets in I. O. O. F. Hall, Saturday night. Election of officers is the principal subject for consideration.

The Misses Vera and Aletha Jones, and Dorothy Hogarth spent the week-end at State college, as guests at a house party.

Mrs. Jack Cather was a Kane visitor Monday.

Miss Elbertha Natello spent the week-end at her home in this place.

Mrs. Francis Quirk entertained the Tuesday Bridge club at her home on Main street.

Misses Mary Geary and Anna Cooper were Bradford visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gross of Ambridge, Pa., are the guests of Mr and Mrs. John Cooper.

Martha Summerskill is ill this week.

Miss Lois Green entertained the Canonada Camp Fire girls, Tuesday evening at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shattuck are in Brooklyn this week to attend the funeral of the former's step-brother, Dr. Tofel.

Mrs. Russell Hungerford has gone to Tyrone, Pa., to visit Mr. Hungerford, who is employed by the State Highway department.

Mrs. Abbie Honsinger of Sardenia, N. Y., and Mrs. Mary Acre of Rew, Pa., have been guests of Miss Carrie Oviatt this week.

St. Priscilla's guild held a meeting Monday evening at St. Luke's Parish house. The Misses Alice Irons and Anna Cooper served refreshments.

The League of Women voters will meet, Wednesday evening, November 22nd, at St. Luke's parish house Dr. W. E. Ostrander will speak on "The Health of the Community."

Fourteen members of the Ladies of the Maccabees assembled at the home of Mrs. J. B. Oviatt, last Wednesday, where, following the transaction of business, an old-fashioned chicken dinner was served.

Mrs. Jas. H. Helm of Kane, Mrs. Lee Tackenteim of Bradford and Miss Ruth Howe spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Raymond of Mt. Jewett spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Corwin.

Mr. Neal Holder who has been spending a month in Cleveland, returned to his home in this place Monday.

On Tuesday evening the Protected Home Circle initiated a large class of candidates and the following distinguished visitors were present: Supreme President, A. C. McLean; Supreme Solicitor, Fred A. Service; and Supreme Sentinel, A. J. Martin.

At the November meeting of Bucktail Post, American Legion, the following candidates were nominated for the annual election to take place next month: Post Commander, Dr. W. A. Ostrander; Vice Commander, Paul Hallstrom; Claude Heinlein; adjutant, Albert Johnson; finance officer, A. M. Anderson, Frank Fay; Paul Hallstrom; chaplain Alfred Kiesath, Thomas Clark; historian, Chester Marsh; sergeant-at-arms, Earl Terry.

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SOLE AGENT.

The many friends of the venerable J. S. McKendrick, who underwent an operation at the Buffalo hospital, several weeks ago, will rejoice to learn that he is making a wonderful recovery, and may return to his home early next week.

D. F. McFarland, professor of metallurgy at State College, was here, Wednesday, in the interest of the $2,000,000 fund for his institution.

All persons who desire to contribute to the fund for the purpose of purchasing and maintaining an auto for Miss Mary McCabe, community nurse, are requested to send checks to E. W. Workley, postmaster.

Mrs. Mary Forrest, having in charge the local Red Cross drive, is optimistic in the extreme over the success of this year's venture, stating that while few reports of collectors have been filed to date the assurance is given that Smethport will do its duty nobly.

Fresh pecan, filber, and Brazil nuts, rolls at the News Stand, Saturday, 69c a pound. J. E. GARRIEL.

Judge Bouton addressed a special boys' meeting staged by the Rotary club of Kane, Tuesday evening. Always deeply interested in the welfare of the young folks, his honor was perfectly at home and talked to the boys the way boys like to be talked to.

Jack Morrison of Buffalo spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Morrison of King street.

Miss Carrie Natello of Bradford, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Natello.

Mrs. J. M. Wiant entertained St. Christophers guild, Monday evening at her residence.

Harry Herzog, who suffered a severe attack of pneumonia, Saturday, has passed the critical stage and strong hopes for his recovery are now entertained.

Dr. W. A. Ostrander, county medical officer, has completed examination and vaccination of the school children of the county in all save two grades of the East Smethport school. In this work Doctor Ostrander was assisted by a number of other physicians.

CLAM CHOWDER SALE.

St Elizabeths Aid Society will hold a sale of clam chowder, Friday, November 17th at five o'clock, at St. Elizabeth's hall, price 40c per quart. Please bring pails.

INFANT BOY DIES.

Neil Fields, aged 18 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fields of Hilton avenue, died at the family home at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday morning from an attack of bronchial pneumonia. Funeral services will be held at the home this afternoon, Rev. Arthur Greeson officiating. Interment in Kasson cemetery.

EXHIBITION AND SALE OF FINE FURS.

Mr. Swales, the expert furrier, will be with us Friday and Saturday, November 24th and 25th, with a very complete line of high grade fur coats and fur pieces—all late fall and winter styles. Exceptionally liberal price reductions will be made during this event.

BRADNER'S, Olean, N. Y.

NOTICE.

All property owners in the Borough are requested to trim their shade trees from the ground up to a height that will permit the free carrying of umbrellas on rainy days, and on Main street the trees should be trimmed up to the height of the top of the ornamental lights. This will make the lights more efficient, look much nicer and it will improve the trees and the lawns underneath. This is the time to trim trees, and if you will do it at once the Borough will carry away the trimmings free of charge.

J. CLAYTON BACKUS,
Boro Electric Manager.

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COUNTY SALESMEN—I want a go-getter from this county to sell an all year 'round specialty. Guarante to bring to real workers at least $50.00 every week before Christmas. No capital required—but salesman must give the best of references. W. L. Singer, Jr., 508-220 Fifth Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 1t.

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The OLEAN HERALD gives a most up-to-date account of all the latest news through its full associated Press dispatches. It is one of the livest papers in southern New York and covers a wide range of territory in northwest Pennsylvania.

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FOR RENT—Three or four rooms with gas and water. Mrs. A. Schoolmaker, East Smethport.

FOR SALE—Baby car, (stroller) Enquire of Mrs. Claude Heinlein.

NOTICE.

Will pay cash for cream shipped to McKean County Creamery, Smethport, Pa. adv42-4t.

WILL TRADE—200 farm for house, business or small farm. Owing to poor health will include produce, grain, hay, machinery, equipment, 4 horses, 25 cows, fair buildings; running water. Will divide in two farms with extra set of old buildings. About all level and tillable. Near splendid business town. Exchange for other property. Also for sale, 35-acre farm suitable for poultry, 2 cows, 2 horses, 60 hens, machinery, some furniture, $3,500. 20-room fine brick hotel, modern improvements including fixtures, barn, two lots in live town, $6,500, terms given. MANDEVILLE AGENCY, Olean, N. Y. 1t*

FOR SALE—Having purchased farm must sell quick. Well constructed 8 room house, county seat, Coudersport. Gas, hot and cold water, bath, good cellar. Honey location, beautiful view from large veranda. Two large lots included. Reduced price. Inquire Wm. Freeman, 7th street, Coudersport, Pa., or MANDEVILLE AGENCY, Olean, N. Y. 1t*

Late in life, success expands the waistband. Early in life it merely expands the hatband.

BRADFORD B. of C. HEARS INFORMATIVE ADDRESS ON FARM BUREAU WORK.

Why McKean county was only one step removed from the cellar in the matter of corn production in the state last year, and the work being done by the County Farm Bureau for fostering more and better farming activities in the county and for the improvement of sheep, livestock generally and crops, was explained to members of the Bradford board of commerce at their noon luncheon meeting, Tuesday, by County Farm Agent P. S. Crossman.

More active co-operation between business organizations in the county and the Farm Bureau was recommended by the speaker, who detailed the splendid work being done by farmers through the medium of the bureau and the many clubs organized for the betterment of farm methods in the rural districts. A large attendance heard the address.

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HUGE VACUUM TUBE DEVELOPED BY BELL TELEPHONE ENGINEERS

Mr. W. G. Housekeeper is holding one of the new vacuum tubes. He had a large part in its Development.

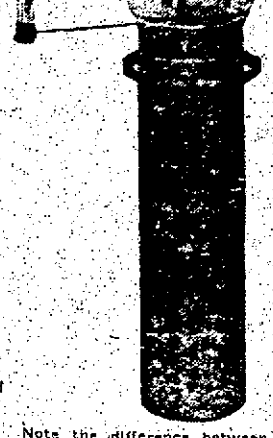
The most powerful vacuum tube in the world has just been successfully produced in the Bell laboratories. It has an output of 100 kilowatts. This remarkable instrument, which is the culmination of an extended period of research work, is expected to completely revolutionize long-distance wireless telegraph communication.

There is not the slightest doubt but that it places this country in the most strategic position in the race to be the first to throw the voice across the broad expanse of the Atlantic.

Although the new tube can be conveniently held in one hand it will produce sufficient power to bridge the ocean for telegraphic purposes, and will in time completely replace the cumbersome and ponderous machinery which is now necessary for this purpose. Moreover, the cost of maintaining trans-atlantic service with such tubes will be almost infinitesimal as compared with the cost of maintaining the machinery now used.

An idea of the size of this tube in comparison to the regulation detector vacuum tube can be had by a glance at the illustration. The detector tube is seen to the left of the large tube, being held in place by a bracket.

From the standpoint of wireless telephony the development of these high power tubes makes possible the use of very much greater amounts of power than have ever been readily available before.



Note the difference between the new giant tube and the ordinary detector tube on the left.

There is no doubt that if the demand should occur for tubes capable of handling much larger amounts of power, they could be constructed along the same lines that governed the construction of the 100-kilowatt tube.

Modern Telephone Central Office Far Superior to Old Time Operating Rooms

A telephone central office of today contrasts sharply with one of 40 years ago, as shown to the right.

The subscriber's equipment that has been used in telephone operating can easily be visualized by comparing the modern central office with the old time central office.

Way back in 1880, the switchboards were small affairs and boys as operators. In those days the operator had a single cord and plug with a ring at other end. When he wanted to establish a connection he inserted one end of the cord into a small opening on the switchboard. He then completed the connection by inserting the other end of the cord in a similar opening on another point on the switchboard. Sometimes he had to traverse the entire length of the operating room, with the cord trailing along behind him, in order to complete a call. Central offices in those days were in a constant turmoil.

The operating room of today contrasts sharply with the confusion and crudeness of the early telephone central offices. Today the operating forces are composed entirely of girls who are working quietly and efficiently under intelligent supervision, in clean, orderly and well ventilated operating rooms.

The telephone operator of today need not move from her chair at the switchboard to do her part in establishing a connection with almost any telephone in the United States.

Some Snappy Styles of 1896! These are telephone girls of nearly a generation ago.

DAIRY POINTS

BUTTER RATED FOR QUALITY

Producers Lose Much Money Because of Imperfect Conditions and Methods in Making.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

If you are a producer or manufacturer of butter, were you disappointed in the price you received for that last shipment? Quality is the chief factor in determining butter prices, and according to United States Department of Agriculture circular 236, just issued, even small defects in quality may result in the loss of a sale or a cut in price.

Several million dollars annually are lost to producers and manufacturers because of imperfect conditions and methods in production, manufacture and marketing of dairy products, the circular states. During 1920 the marginal difference in the prices of high and low quality butter amounted at times to as much as 15 cents between 87 score and 92 score. Lack of proper attention or care in the creamery in grading the cream, or in churning, working, salting or packing the butter are stated to be mainly responsible for this condition.

The circular enumerates and describes the various factors such as flavor, body, color, salt and package but influence price. These factors are given specific ratings by local and federal butter inspectors, and receivers, in determining the final score of the product and the ratings are governed by the absence or presence of certain defects described in the circular.

It is stated that there has never before been a time in the history of American butter making when it paid so well to produce high-quality butter as during recent years. But to secure

Taking Butter From Churn.

an active demand and the largest net return not only high quality and uniformity of the product are necessary, but a knowledge of market requirements and good marketing methods are required.

Circular 236, entitled "Defects in the Quality of Butter," has been prepared so that producers and manufacturers may know precisely how butter is rated for quality in the markets, and how the defects which lower the price may be obviated. Copies of the circular can be obtained free upon request to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Influence of Breed.

The breed of a dairy cow has a distinct influence on the water content of her milk. For example, Jersey milk as an average contains 14.7 per cent total solids, of which 5.33 per cent is fat, while Holstein milk contains, on the average, 11.85 per cent total solids of which 3.12 per cent is butterfat. In other words every 100 pounds of Jersey milk contains 85 pounds of water, while every 100 pounds of Holstein milk contains 88 pounds of water. The difference in feeding value amounts to 2.61 pounds of milk solids per 100 pounds of milk in favor of Jersey milk.

There's Money in Milking.

The greatness of the dairy industry is more appreciated now than for several years past. Dairying actually shows a gain during the past year of several hundred million dollars, while most of the other farm branches show losses into the billions.

Dairy Improvement.

Replacing the low producing cows with better ones and later with purebreds is only one of the ways in which a dairy improvement association helps a community.

Proper Feed for Calves.

After a calf is four weeks old it must have bulk in its ration, skim milk and grain will not nourish it properly. At this age the calves should have all the clover or alfalfa hay they want.

Weed Out Unprofitable Cows.

Even in the leading dairy states, probably one-fourth or more of the dairy cows fail to pay for their care and feed, due chiefly to the fact that the owners do not know which return a profit and which are boarders.

HOUSE CLEANING MADE EASIER BY ASSEMBLING TOOLS IN ONE PLACE

A Homemade Closet Is Inexpensive and Convenient.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

For generations housekeepers have taken pride in their orderly linen closets, well-stocked preserve and jelly closets, and their neat kitchen cupboards. While not so attractive to look at, the cleaning closet is just as important. By grouping together brooms, brushes, dusters, mops and all the many things needed in cleaning, and keeping the closet in order, the housekeeper need not waste time or take extra steps in collecting these things when she wants to use them. It is a more sanitary and tidy practice to store cleaning tools in a place by themselves than to leave them in a corner of the kitchen or pantry, as is often done, the United States Department of Agriculture points out.

The cleaning closet should be convenient to the whole house. Sometimes, especially in large houses, a good arrangement is to have a cleaning closet on each floor with a supply of the things most frequently used. If a built-in closet is not available an old wardrobe may be fitted up. Sometimes the cleaning closet opens off the back hall or the combination laundry and washroom, which is found an almost indispensable room in many farmhouses. This also is a good place for it.

The cleaning closet should be ventilated by cutting holes in the door or by means of a transom. Shelves should be arranged for the cans and bottles of cleaning materials and other small articles, and there should be plenty of hooks at proper heights for brushes, brooms and mops. These should be hung so that the weight does not rest on the straws, bristles, or strings. The carpet sweeper, also, should be set or hung so that the weight does not come on the brushes.

Good Tools More Economical.

Well-made, durable tools are generally most economical in the end, though they may cost more at the outset. It is well, of course, to have a complete set of tools and materials for cleaning the many kinds of materials in the house, but this does not mean that a large collection should be bought haphazard. Some cleaning devices will not be used often enough in the ordinary house to justify their expense or the storage room they occupy, and the housekeeper will do well to consider these points before buying.

The oily cloths used in polishing floors and furniture, especially if moistened with linseed oil, are a serious fire hazard unless kept in a covered fireproof container. A tin or galvanized iron can with close-fitting lid is good for this purpose.

Tools last longer and work better if put back in the closet clean and ready for use the next time.

Care of Various Kinds of Mops.

Once a week, or oftener if necessary, the box of the carpet sweeper should be opened over dampened newspaper, the dirt emptied out; and hair and lint cleaned from the brushes with a buttonhook, coarse comb, or old scissors. The mechanism should be kept properly oiled. A vacuum cleaner should be looked after in the same way, except that in addition the bag should be emptied.

Dry or oiled mops should be well shaken each time after use, and occasionally should be washed in hot soapsuds, rinsed in clear hot water, and dried as quickly as possible. Oiled mops may be renewed by pouring on a few drops of kerosene or floor oil and leaving them stand until the oil spreads to all the strings. If too much oil is used the floors will be darkened. If a surplus of oil will be left on the surface.

Dust cloths should be washed frequently, because a little dirt comes out more easily and because dirty cloths often leave as much dust as they take up and may scratch highly polished surfaces. The oil in "dustless" cloths may be restored by adding to the rinse water a little kerosene or floor oil (about one tablespoonful to a quart of water), or by pouring a few drops of oil on the dry duster, rolling it tight, and letting it stand until the oil spreads evenly.

House cleaning often seems a hard task and it pays to plan the work carefully and to keep the home clean rather than labor to make it clean.

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There is some talk of supplanting the Farmers Valley Express with a push-cart.

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DIVORCE NOTICE.
Clara Belle Everetts
vs.
William Henry Everetts
No. 88. June Term, 1922.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas Clara Belle Everetts did on the 10th day of April, 1922, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you William Henry Everetts.

We therefore command you, the said William Henry Everetts that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Eleventh day of December, 1922, next, and show cause, if any you have why the said Clara Bell Everett your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
R. J. Campbell Atty. for Libellant.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 10th, 1922.

DIVORCE NOTICE.
Emma Hansen
vs.
Rasmus Hansen
No. 12. October Term, 1922.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas Emma Hansen did on the 5th day of June, 1922 prefer her petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Rasmus Hansen.

We therefore command you, the said Rasmus Hansen that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsbever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Eleventh day of December, 1922, next, and show cause, if any you have why the said Emma Hansen your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

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J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
Wilson & Fitzgibbons.
Attys. for Libellant.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 10th, 1922.

DIVORCE NOTICE.
Dominick Barillo
vs.
Catherine Barillo
No. 122. June Term, 1922.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas Dominick Barillo did on the 4th day of May, 1922 prefer his petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that he might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Catherine Barillo.

We therefore command you, the said Dominick Barillo that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Eleventh day of December, 1922, next, and show cause, if any you have why the said Dominick Barillo your husband should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

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J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
Lester H. Simons,
Atty. for Libellant.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 10th, 1922.

DIVORCE NOTICE.
Elsie Gertrude Smith
vs.
Herbert N. Smith
No. 7, June Term, 1922.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas Elsie Gertrude Smith did on the 27th day of February, 1922, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Herbert N. Smith.

We therefore command you, the said Herbert N. Smith that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Eleventh day of December, 1922, next, and show cause, if any you have why the said Elsie Gertrude Smith your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
E. G. Potter,
Atty. for Libellant.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 10th, 1922.

DIVORCE NOTICE.
Sadie F. Osborne
vs.
John Osborne
No. 96, June Term, 1922.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas Sadie F. Osborne did on the 21st day of April, 1922, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you John Osborne.

We therefore command you, the said John Osborne that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Eleventh day of December, 1922, next, and show cause, if any you have why the said Sadie F. Osborne your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
Melvin & Melvin,
Attys. for Libellant.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 10th, 1922.

DIVORCE NOTICE.
J. Harvey Fisher
vs.
Nora Fisher
No. 111. February Term, 1922.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas J. Harvey Fisher did on the 27th day of January, 1922, prefer his petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that he might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Nora Fisher.

We therefore command you, the said Nora Fisher that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Eleventh day of December, 1922, next, and show cause, if any you have why the said J. Harvey Fisher your husband should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

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J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
Chester H. Ashton.
Atty. for Libellant.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 10th, 1922.

DIVORCE NOTICE.
William A. Edinger
vs.
Mabel E. Edinger
No. 13. October Term, 1922

McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas William A. Edinger did on the 5th day of June, 1922, prefer his petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that he might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Mabel E. Edinger.

We therefore command you, the said Mabel E. Edinger that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Eleventh day of December, 1922, next, and show cause, if any you have why the said William A. Edinger your husband should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

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J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
H. G. Berkhouse,
Atty. for Libellant.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 10th, 1922.

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DIVORCE NOTICE.
Charles H. Petske,
also known as Charles H. Petskey,
vs.
Ida Petske,
also known as Ida Petskey,
No. 93. June Term, 1922.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas Charles H. Petske, also known as Charles H. Petskey did on the 17th day of April, 1922, prefer his petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that he might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Ida Petske, (also known as Ida Petskey.)

We therefore command you, the said Ida Petske, also known as Ida Petskey that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Eleventh day of December, 1922, next, and show cause, if any you have why the said Charles H. Petske also known as Charles Petskey, your husband should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

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J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff
Mullin & Woods.
Attys. for Libellant.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Penna.
Nov. 10th, 1922. 46-4t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Grant H. Carpenter, late of the Township of Keating, County of McKean, and State of Pennsylvania.

Letters of Administration on the above Estate, have been granted November 3rd, A. D. 1922, by the Register of Wills of the said County of McKean to Hamlin Bank and Trust Company of Smethport, in the County aforesaid; request is hereby made to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said Decedent to immediately make known the same, and all persons indebted to the said Decedent, to make payment thereof to the said Administrator without delay. Hamlin Bank & Trust Co. Smethport, Pa. Administrator. November 3rd, 1922.

Gallup & Potter, Attorneys.
Adv45-6t.

A Lady in Chicago Telegraphs for Rat-Snap.

Read Mrs. Phillips' wire: "Youells Exterminator Co., Westfield, N. J. Rush $3 worth of RAT-SNAP." Later rec'd following letter: "RAT-SNAP arrived. It rid our house of rats in no time. Just moved here from Pa., where I used RAT-SNAP with great results." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, $1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Hallstrom Bros., J. A. Lindholm. 46-3t.

Freud says we forgot what we wish to forget. Did the man ever get stuck for a used car?

It is a large question whether it is better to massacre minorities or tax them to death.

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DAIRY TALK

PUREBRED FEMALES GAIN

Rapid Improvement of Live Stock Brought About by "Better Sires—Better Stock" Campaign.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

When farmers adopt purebred sires to head their herds and flocks it is not long before the percentage of purebred females increases noticeably. This encouraging tendency toward more rapid improvement of live stock has been brought out by the United States Department of Agriculture in the "Better

Use of Purebred Females Is on Rapid Increase.

Sires—Better Stock" campaign. Of a total of more than 300,000 female animals listed by farmers who have agreed to keep nothing but purebred sires, more than 97 per cent are of pure breeding. On these farms scrubs have practically disappeared. For the larger animals the reports show that only 2.4 per cent of the females are scrubs and, of course, the males are of pure blood as that is the basis on which the farms are listed.

The poultry flocks owned by these farmers are particularly well bred, only 4.3 per cent of the female birds being listed as scrubs. More than 68 per cent of a total of 10,000 birds are entered on the list as standard-bred. Among the herds of swine there are very few scrub sows—only 1.4 per cent. Nearly two-thirds of them are purebred.

This federal-state effort to improve the live stock and poultry of the country has now brought in a membership campaign that represents nearly a million head of animals and poultry. Farmers who have become members have sent in interesting accounts of their experiences in improving their animals and their bank accounts. Other farmers who are taking part in the work are invited by the department to send in their individual experiences as well as those of community organizations engaged in the improvement of live stock. Definite facts and figures should be included wherever possible.

Big Disease Factors

Filthy cows, stables and utensils are the prime factors in distribution of pathogenic or disease producing organisms through milk. There are few dairy herds in which there is not a case or two of garget each year. In every case investigated during an illness spread the milk from cows having garget contained germs which cause stomach and intestinal diseases and general sickness.

Garget or mammitis is almost invariably induced by infections of the urinary tract and uterus. When a cow lies down in dirty stables and barnyards her udder rests on the ground and the germs become lodged in the teat openings where they multiply rapidly.

RIGHT FEEDING FOR CALVES

Number of Times a Day Varies With Different Dairymen—Temperature Is Important.

The number of times a day to feed calves varies with the different dairymen. For the first three or four weeks some men feed the calves three times a day. This is an excellent practice, but many do not give proper attention to the temperature of the milk, particularly at noon. This milk is often given cold and it would be far better to feed only twice a day and have the milk at proper temperature than to feed three times a day and have it cold.

Value of Protein Feed.

Realizing the value of more protein in the feed allowed for dairy cows, more dairymen than ever before, says L. V. Wilson, dairy specialist at Purdue, are putting in some soy beans with their silage corn or are sowing the beans for an inter-crop hay crop.

Calves Need Much Water.

Calves should have all the water they want to drink. They will not drink very much at a time but if it is before them all the time they will drink considerable in a day.

MAY PLACE FIRE SIREN ON HAMLIN BANK BLDG IF BOROUGH ACCEPTS IT.

Smethport's new siren fire-alarm, tested for the first time Armistice day, will be given another try-out in the near future in order to test its carrying powers throughly. If accepted, it will be placed in position either on the Hamlin bank building or some other centrally-located point, where an alarm may be turned in by any citizen or from telephone headquarters, the latter by means of an electrical apparatus.

The addition of two chemical trucks to the fire fighting apparatus, one with two chemical tanks, carrying 500 feet of hose, the other with one chemical tank, carrying 1,000 feet of hose, puts the department in far better shape than many towns the size of Smethport.

WHAT DEFEAT MEANS.

While Smethport citizens generally blame Bradford for the defeat of the soldiers' memorial building project and are somewhat wrathy because of it, one fact stands out broad and clear, and that is, failure of the soldiers' memorial means enlargement of the court house by the building of additions, the cost of which will equal if not exceed the amount asked for a memorial building. One object of the soldiers' memorial was to relieve congestion in the court building and provide sufficient office space to make the structure self-sustaining. But now that the memorial has been defeated, the county will have to pay out cold cash for court house improvements, plus additional levies for maintenance.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. S. A. Renicks, Pastor. Services on Lord's day 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subjects. "The life that counts for God and Man," Evening, "The Wonderful Name." Bible School 11:45. The contest between the Reds and the Blues is still on. The Lusitania gained 400 miles last Sunday. We believe that mates, pilots, engineers, deckhands, and all the passengers are much interested in the success of the voyage. The union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Baptist church Sunday evening November 26. Our revival meetings will begin at that time. Thursday night prayer meeting at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

WANTS NEW HIGHWAY.

The proposition of the Kane business men to push the James City road on the New Road map and try to get the same before the county commissioners with the view of having this piece of road built in the near future, is a move in the right direction. Marienville lies below and we are hopeful that the bordering counties will crowd us so much that our county commissioners or those with authority will put us next to just what we will have to do and crowd us to it thereby getting us some hard surface road.—Marienville Express.

KILLS FLYING SQUIRREL.

Gilbert Anderson, a young nimrod, residing on the Jo Jo road, killed a flying squirrel on Saturday, while hunting in the woods in the rear of his father's farm. A flying squirrel is an unusual sight in this section of the country, and when the young hunter first saw it leap from a tree into the open air he was bewildered, as it looked to him like some kind of a bird with a red squirrel in its claws. However, he took good aim and brought down the squirrel as it soared above his head.—Kane Republican.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY.

L. E. Scanlon, Colegrove, celebrated his 49th birthday Monday evening by entertaining a few of his immediate friends. The evening was spent in cards, the delation of reminiscences and some few "whoppers." The biggest and best feature, however, was a super-elegant lunch served by Mrs. Scanlon.

NOTICE, HUNTERS.

Te second annual hunt of the Ramrods vs. Nimrods will be staged near Coryville and vicinity, Thursday, November 30. Entries close November 29 at 12 o'clock noon. Send in your name for entry to George Parker, chief, Coryville, Pa. Grand dinner given at Grange hall December 1, from 6 to 9 p. m.

CAPT. MAYO IMPROVING.

The venerable Capt. E. R. Mayo, who has been a patient in the Homeopathic hospital, Buffalo, for several weeks, has made surprising improvement since last Saturday, which gives rise to the hope of an early recovery.

Pocono Salad Dressing

Special 28c Bottle Special

Pineapple, Grated, Del Monte	20c can
Raspberries, Del Monte,	35c can
Peaches, Del Monte,	25c can
Codfish, 1-lb. pkg.	25c
Flaked Fish, Garton	12c can
Kippered Herring	14c can
Corn, Golden Bantam,	20c can
Lunch Crackers	2 lbs for 25c
Catsup, 8-oz bottle	14c
Salmon, Red,	27c can
Baking Chocolate,	12c bar
Victory Soap,	7 bars 25c

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MRS. NELLIE McCARTHY PASSES AWAY FRIDAY; REMAINS BROUGHT HERE

Mrs. Nellie McCready McCarthy, wife of Eugene S. McCarthy, a former resident of Smethport, passed away at her home in Buffalo, at 5:50 o'clock last Friday morning following an illness of 11 months. She was 50 years of age. Funeral services were conducted at Holy Angels church, Buffalo, Sunday, and on Monday the remains were brought to Smethport, where interment was made in Rose Hill cemetery. A native of Clermont and the wife of a former Smethport citizen, Mrs. McCarthy not only was well known here, but held in high esteem by all who enjoyed her acquaintance. Throughout her life she was a consistent Christian woman, a loving wife and mother and a kind friend and neighbor. Her husband and three children—Leon of Olean, Herbert and Clarence of Buffalo, survive. Those from out of town present at the interment were: Mrs. Jean McCarthy and three sons of Buffalo; Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy, Chillicothe, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. William V. Brevin, Buffalo; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Colegrove, Olean; Mr. and Mrs. Steve McCafferty, Mr. and Mrs. David McCarthy and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCarthy of Mt. Jewett.

AUTO OWNERS URGED TO PROCURE LICENSES ERE NEW YEAR DAWNS.

The State Highway department is making an effort to bring about the early registration of motor vehicles. The automobile division began the shipment of 1923 license plates on November 1; and while the number of registrations so far has been somewhat greater than last year at this time it is the hope of the department that the major portion of automobiles and trucks in Pennsylvania will have been registered early enough to prevent any congestion between December 25 and January 5.

The automobile division of the State Highway department is already shipping 1923 plates, and has been since November 1.

SHERWOOD ART EXHIBIT REVEALS RARE TALENT.

Stanley Sherwood, one of Betula's dependable young men, is looked upon by the people of that vicinity as one destined to attain fame as an artist. Having displayed a natural aptitude for art since childhood, Mr. Sherwood recently conceived the idea of placing his paintings on display and selected the Richardson hardware store at Betula for that purpose. His exhibit for the most part consists of landscapes depicting local scenery, all of which have been drawn so faithfully as to evoke surprise and admiration on the part of beholder's Although he has specialized in water colors, it is said to be Mr. Sherwood's intention to take up painting in oil in the near future. The young artist is 22 years of age and has never had an instructor.

AGED WOMAN DIES.

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Catherine M. Howe, widow of I. G. Howe, and one of Bradford's best known citizens, were held at the home last Monday afternoon. Mrs. Howe was 82 years of age and resided in Bradford since 1877. She was well known in Smethport.

ROAD IS COMPLETED.

The concrete work on the new road from Portville to Eldred was completed Saturday and will be open to traffic December 1st.

ST. MARYS NEWSPAPER PAYS FITTING TRIBUTE TO LATE MRS. SHEEHAN.

Commenting on the death of the late Mrs. D. M. Sheehan, who passed away at the Clerfield hospital, Tuesday, November 7, the St. Marys Gazette for last Thursday says:

This community received a great shock Wednesday morning when the sad and unexpected word was received that Mrs. D. M. Sheehan, of Diamond street, had passed away at the Clearfield hospital, following an operation for removal of a goitre. Death came Tuesday evening at 11:30 o'clock.

But few people knew that Mrs. Sheehan had left, on Tuesday of last week, for Clearfield and word of her death came as a great surprise. The operation was performed Monday and Mrs. Sheehan was unable to rally from its effects and passed away at the time mentioned above.

Mrs. Sheehan was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McCarthy, the former deceased, and was born at Smethport, November 26, 1875, and approaching her 47th birthday. She came to St. Marys a number of years ago with her husband, who is a conductor on the Sinnamahoning railroad.

Mrs. Sheehan was a member of the Catholic Daughters of America; K. of C. Ladies and Rosary society of the Sacred Heart church of this place, and of the P. H. C. of Smethport. She took great interest in church affairs and was a hard worker for the benefit of the Sacred Heart church.

She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Helen, mother, six brothers, Thomas and Jerry, of Smethport; Frank and Daniel, located in Oklahoma; Joseph, of Pittsburgh; John of Brockport, N. Y.; and four sisters, Mrs. John Adams, of Cleveland; Mrs. Richard Griffin, and Misses Gertrude and Myrtle McCarthy, of Smethport.

Mrs. Sheehan was a well known woman, always ready to hold out a helping hand to the church or her neighbors. She had many friends who join us in extending sympathy to the grief stricken family.

A special train brought the remains to Smethport Friday afternoon, where funeral services were held at St. Elizabeth's Catholic church, Rev. Father Donahue officiating. Interment was made in Rose Hill cemetery. A large number of people from St. Marys attended the funeral.

The McKean County Miner has a greater circulation than any other weekly newspaper in McKean County.

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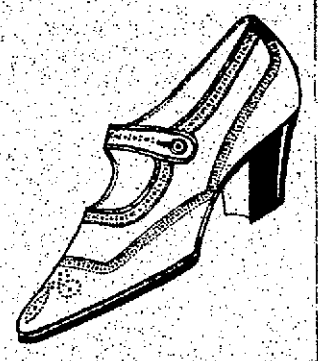

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Knife and scissors Sharpener.
Parcel Post labels. Long handle spoon.
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Address books. Shoe shining kit.
Window wedges Glass Ash Tray,
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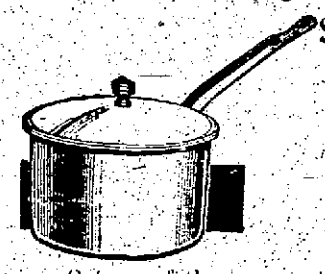

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